

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.

Current.

Prices of food grains—Boiled rice, 2nd sort	7'30	6'61	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	13'65	13'40	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort	...	7'47	

Agricultural operations.—Weeds are being removed from ragi fields.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Weeding and sowing operations in paddy fields are being carried on in parts of the Devanhalli and Anekal Taluks.
State of standing crops.—Ragi, avare, togari, navanè, etc., are in good condition; but are in need of rain.
Harvest and outturn.—Groundnut and mustard are being harvested in parts of the Anekal Taluk; yield, groundnut 8 annas and mustard 8 annas.
10. Prospects of the season are generally good. It is reported from all the taluks that the standing crops urgently require rain.
11. Except for plague in Punjenagrahar and Dodbasavanahalli of the Hoskote Taluk, Tippur, and Bilkempanahalli of the Doddballapur Taluk, and Bellendur, Adagodi, Begur and Agara of the Bangalore Taluk, public health is generally good.
12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed for sowing Vaisakhi paddy in the Kolar, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Goribidnur and Srinivasapur Taluks and in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.
Crops sown.—Paddy in the Kolar, Mulbagal and Goribidnur Taluks and horse gram in the Mulbagal Taluk.
Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Gidda ragi in the Goribidnur Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; and samè in the Kolar, Mulbagal and Sidlaghatta Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas.
Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, avare and togari are in good condition; but they require more rain.
10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes. The rainfall during the week was general and opportune for the crops.
11. There have been a few cases of plague in the Bowringpet Taluk and of cholera in the Srinivasapur Taluk; otherwise, public health is good.
12. Except for a few cases of "Chappe rōga" in Bagepalli Town, cattle are healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi Taluks; jola in the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Pavagada Taluks; and horse gram in the Pavagada Taluk.
Crops harvested.—Natu ragi in the Maddagiri Taluk, yield 2 annas; ragi in the Pavagada Taluk, yield from 4 to 6 annas; jola in the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk, yield 2 annas; sugar cane in the Gubbi Taluk and in the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas; and paddy in the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas.
Standing crops.—Both wet and dry crops are reported to be in good condition except in parts of the Sira Taluk, where dry crops are stated to be withering for want of rain.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Early fall of rain is needed in almost all parts of the district. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is good, except for small-pox in five villages of the Tumkur Taluk and for plague at Hosakere in the Gubbi Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown*.—Bengal gram in parts of the Yedatore, Nanjangud, Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks; and coriander in parts of the Nanjangud Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, togari, avare, til, green gram, horse gram, Bengal gram, black gram, tadagani, castor sugar cane, tobacco, chillies, haraka, savé and navané are reported to be in good condition. The Amildar of Hunsur Taluk, however reports that the standing crops require rain.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in parts of the Nagamangala Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Chamrajnagar, Yedatore, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*.—Paddy, dodda ragi, sugar cane, avare, togari, chillies and horse gram in the Hassan Taluk; barawadi and transplanted paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar cane, paddy, avare, castor, chillies, horse gram, green and black grams and tadagani in the Arkalgud Taluk; paddy, sugar cane, avare, togari and horse gram in the Belur Taluk; ragi, paddy, sugar cane, avare, togari, gingelly, haraka, navane, savé, jola and horse gram in the Channarayapatna Taluk; ragi, avare, castor, togari, paddy, groundnuts, chillies and sugar cane in the Arsikere Taluk; sugar cane, paddy, dodda ragi, castor, chillies, togari, coriander and avare in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; and paddy in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—The chillie crop in the Arsikere Taluk is being harvested.

Yield of crops harvested.—Ragi in the Arkalgud Taluk, 2 to 8 annas; and sugar cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk, 8 annas.

Crops sown.—Kadale is being sown in parts of the Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. More rain is reported to be required in parts of the Hassan, Manjarabad, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks and particularly in the Arkalgud Taluk.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in Hassan Town and cholera in parts of the Hassan Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown*.—Yennegar jola and Bengal gram are being sown in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar cane throughout the district; ragi and jola in the Shimoga Taluk; horse gram and ragi in the Shikarpur Taluk; ragi in the Sorab Taluk; and the dry crops in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in the Shimoga Taluk; ragi, jola, til, navane, green and black grams and wheat in the Channagiri Taluk; ragi and paddy in the Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks; and arecanut in the Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in the Shimoga and Shikarpur Taluks and small-pox in the Shimoga, Channagiri and Tirthahalli Taluks.

12. Cattle are healthy, except in parts of the Honnali, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, where they are said to be suffering from "foot and mouth disease."

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations*.—Lands are being prepared for sowing Bengal gram and sugar cane in parts of the Chikmagalur Taluk.

Crops sown.—Garlic, onions, menthya and sugar cane in parts of the Chikmagalur Taluk; jola, wheat and Bengal gram in parts of the Kadur Taluk; and Bengal gram and jola in parts of the Tarikere Taluk, are sown.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar cane, coffee, areca, cardamom, castor, avare, togari, horse gram and chillies in the Chikmagalur Taluk; ragi, jola, cotton, paddy, savé, horse gram, coriander, sugar cane, baragu and navané in the Kadur Taluk; paddy, sugar cane, ragi, avare, jola, chillies, coffee, castor and wheat in the Tarikere Taluk; paddy, coffee, areca, cardamom and pepper in the Koppa Taluk; paddy, ragi, sugar cane, coffee, horse gram and gingelly in the Mudgere Taluk; paddy, areca, coffee and sugar cane in the Yedahalli Sub-Taluk; and paddy and areca in Sringeri. All these crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Areca, cardamom, sugar cane and chillies in the Chikmagalur Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; areca in the Tarikere and Koppa Taluk and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas; and sugar cane in the Kadur Taluk;

10. Prospects of the season are good. One or two showers of rain are wanted for the standing crops. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Plague prevails in some villages of the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks, and small-pox in some villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk. Otherwise, public health is generally good.

12. "Foot and mouth disease" prevails among cattle in some villages of the Koppa Taluk and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*, such as paddy, ragi, jola, castor, cotton, navané, sajjé, samé, haraka, chillies, togari avare, black gram, green gram, horse gram, tadagani, sugar cane and sessamum, are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Bili jola in the Chitaldrug, Holalkere, Davangere and Hosdurga Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk; Bengal gram in the Chitaldrug and Hiriur Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk; wheat in the Hiriur Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk; horse gram in the Holalkere and Hosdurga Taluks; and coriander in the Hosdurga Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in the Challakere, Holalkere and Molakalmuru Taluks, yield 8 to 10 annas; jola in the Holalkere, Molakalmuru and Hosdurga Taluks, yield 8 to 10 annas; black gram and green gram in the Holalkere and Hosdurga Taluks; yield 8 to 10 annas and sesamum in the Davangere Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good except for a few cases of cholera in Rampur village of the Molakalmuru Taluk.

12. Cattle are healthy except for "Chappe roga" in a village in the Challakere Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

REVENUE COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Dated Bangalore, 5th November 1913.

N. MADHAVA RAO,
For Revenue Commissioner.